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<u>1</u>	title page
<u>5</u>	sheets of informal drawings

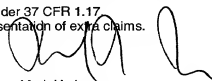
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